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SUBJECT: US-USSR ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT: HISTORIC
MONUMENTS: SOVIET EXHIBIT (02.04-12)

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1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED LETTER FROM SOVIET PROJECT
LEADER YARALOV TO HIS US COUNTERPART, CONALLY, ON THE
SOVIET EXHIBIT ON PRESERVATION OF HISTORICAL MONUMENTS.
INFORMAL EMBASSY TRANSLATION FOLLOWS PARA 2 BELOW.
ORIGINAL POUCHED TO EPA FOR SHOSTAL, REGISTRY NO.
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2. DEAR DR. CONALLY:

I WOULD LIKE TO INFORM YOU ABOUT SOME TECHNICAL DETAILS
OF THE EXHIBITION WE PLAN TO SEND TO THE USA IN
SEPTEMBER.

THE SOVIET EXHIBITION WILL BE SET UP IN FIVE SECTIONS:

1. THE HISTORY OF THE PROBLEM. TRANSFORMATION OF
ATTITUDE TOWARDS THE ARCHITECTURAL AND CITY-BUILDING
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INHERITANCE. 8 DISPLAY BOARDS.
2. LEGISLATION, FINANCING, THE ROLE OF THE PUBLIC,
10 DISPLAY BOARDS.
3. RESTORATION TECHNIQUE. 12 DISPLAY BOARDS.
4. CONSERVATION METHODS (ARCHITECTURAL PRESERVES). 18
DISPLAY BOARDS.
5. NEW LIFE OF THE OLD. INTRINSIC INCORPORATION OF OLD

DISTRICTS IN THE DEVELOPING URBAN STRUCTURE. 12 DISPLAY
BOARDS.

THE EXHIBITION WILL CONSIST OF 60 NUMBERED DISPLAY
BOARDS COVERED WITH PAPER AND PHOTOGRAPHS. A DISPLAY
BOARD IS 1 METRE BY 1 METRE BY 1 CENTIMETRE WIDE. ON
EACH DISPLAY BOARD THERE WILL BE NOTES IN ENGLISH
EXPLAINING THE CONTENTS OF THE SECTION. ANY ROOM WITH
AN AREA OF NOT LESS THAN 200 SQUARE METRES WILL BE
SUITABLE FOR THE EXHIBITION.

THE DISPLAY BOARDS MAY BE HUNG ON THE WALLS IN ONE
ROW OR MAY BE ARRANGED AS A CLOSED COMPOSITION (IN A
SQUARE ROOM); AN EXAMPLE OF WHICH IS ENCLOSED. IN THE
LATTER CASE A STRUCTURE CONSISTING OF FRAMES AND SUPPORTS
IS NEEDED TO HOLD TWO BACK TO BACK DISPLAY BOARDS.
TO KEEP TO THE SEQUENCE OF NARRATION IT IS NECESSARY
THAT THE CORRESPONDENCE OF EACH PAIR OF DISPLAY
BOARDS BE OBSERVED (IN MY EXAMPLE 31-60, 3-14, 5-10 ETC.)

IT WOULD BE DESIRABLE THAT INDIVIDUAL SECTIONS OF THE
EXHIBITION BE SEPARATED. (FOR EXAMPLE 8-9).

THE INTENSITY OF ILLUMINATION OF SURFACES
SHOULD BE ABOUT 300 LUX.

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IT WOULD BE DESIRABLE THAT YOU PROVIDE A PROJECTOR
FOR LECTURES BY OUR SPECIALISTS.

SINCERELY, YU. YARALOV.

3. KAZAKOV INDICATED THAT SOVIETS PLAN TO LEAVE
THEIR EXHIBIT IN THE US AS A GIFT TO THEIR US HOSTS
HE ASKED WHETHER US CAN PROVIDE 35 MM MOVIE PROJECTOR
TO SHOW SOVIET FILM DURING THE EXHIBIT. (SOVIETS ARE
PREPARED TO BRING THEIR OWN 35 MM PROJECTOR IF US
CANNOT PROVIDE ONE.) KAZAKOV ADDED THAT SOVIETS WILL
PROVIDE ENGLISH SOUNDTRACK FOR THEIR FILM. MATLOCK

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